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THE DESCENDENTS

of

FRANCIS TOMS.

of

THE COLONIAL FRIENDS

of

EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA.

1650-1947

A.D.

By the Grand Daughters of Joseph and Pharaba Wilson Toms.

Maud Toms.
Pauline Pearson Baker.
Laura Tôms Layman.

Hay Sue Hubbild Arthur Klawid

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INTRODUCTORY NOTE.

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The immediately following pages give the pedigree of the contemporary and preceding ancestry of our American forefather Francis Toms, of Perquimans Co, N.C., whose descendents down to 1947 are scheduled herein. It will be our next pleasant task to trace the date of arrival in America of Francis Toms and directly connect him with his immediate ancestor of the English family.

The Authors.

December 1947

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A Mid-life Portrait of
Our Grand Parents

Joseph Toms and Pharaba Wilson Toms



A present day view of the 1854 plantation of Joseph and Pharaba Wilson Toma in Perquimans County, N. C.



The present owners of the Joseph Toms plantation at Chapanoke, Perquimans County, N.C., found but the roots and broken trunks of elm trees that once arched the long drive leading to the house and these have been removed. However, at the wide old gate one elm tree stands, sentinel like, recalling the "long, long ago", and growing in youthful vigor and rare beauty of grace and symetry.

April 25-1947



TOMS.

(1) FRANCIS. $\rightarrow \rightarrow -$ B-3-2-?
D-4-3-1712

(First mentioned in Winslow's history of Perquimans Co., N.C. as coming to that county from Charles City Co., Va., about 1656)

- (1a) 1st. marriage.

 date unknown.

 Pershillah.
- (1b) 2d.marriage. 1-6-1683
- (*) Abagail Lacey.
 Widow of John
 Lacey. Her first
 husband was Wm.
 Charles-D-8-61682. Married in
 Rhode Island.
 Her second husband John Lacey.
 - Mary Nicholson,
 who survived him.
 Her will dated
 1717 names her
 daughter Vesty
 Lewis, wife of
 Edward Lewis.
 - (*) See ancestry of Pharaba Wilson Toms accompanying where Abagail Lacey is found to be an ancestor of Pharaba in the WHITE-WILSON line of descent. Thus Joseph and Pharaba Toms were were remote cousins thro Francis Toms second marriage.

TOMS.

(2) Francis.

B-7-18-1672

D-7-12-1729

Will filed-

10-7-1729 (2a)M-Rebekah. Who

survived him.

(3) Joseph.

B-11-16-1677

D-6-6-1779

(4) Caleb-D-Age 2yrs.
Twin of

M 1st-9-23-1701 | (5a) Sarah Gosby. Dt. (17) FOSTER. Will dated will dated hah Nicholson. Gosby.

(5b)M 2d-2-6-1726 Rebecca Sutton.
Dt. of Peter
Jones, Sr., and
widow of Joseph
Sutton.

(6) Penelope.

B-10-12-1668

M-2-6-1727

(6a) Joseph Pierce.

(7) Mary.

B-4-1-1670

M-4-1-1689

(7a) Gabriel Newby.

(8) Pershillah.

B-3-19-1674

M 1st-9-20-1700

(8a) John Nicholson.

M 2d-John Kin
sey.

His will-

4-14-1717 M 3d-10-1-1725 (8b) William Jones.

(9) Abagail. B-12-10-1684

TOMS.

(10) Mary. M-6-3-1720 Francis Newby.

(11) Penelope. M-2-16-1727 Jos. Pierce.

(12) Elizabeth.
M-Lonathan
Phelps.

(13) Pricilla. M-10-1-1727 Wm. Jones.

(14) Margaret.

(15) Pleasant.
M-1729
Jos. Winslow.

(16) Francis.

will dated

4-1-1779

Published
Feby. 1794

M-9-23-1701

(17a) Martha Hodges.

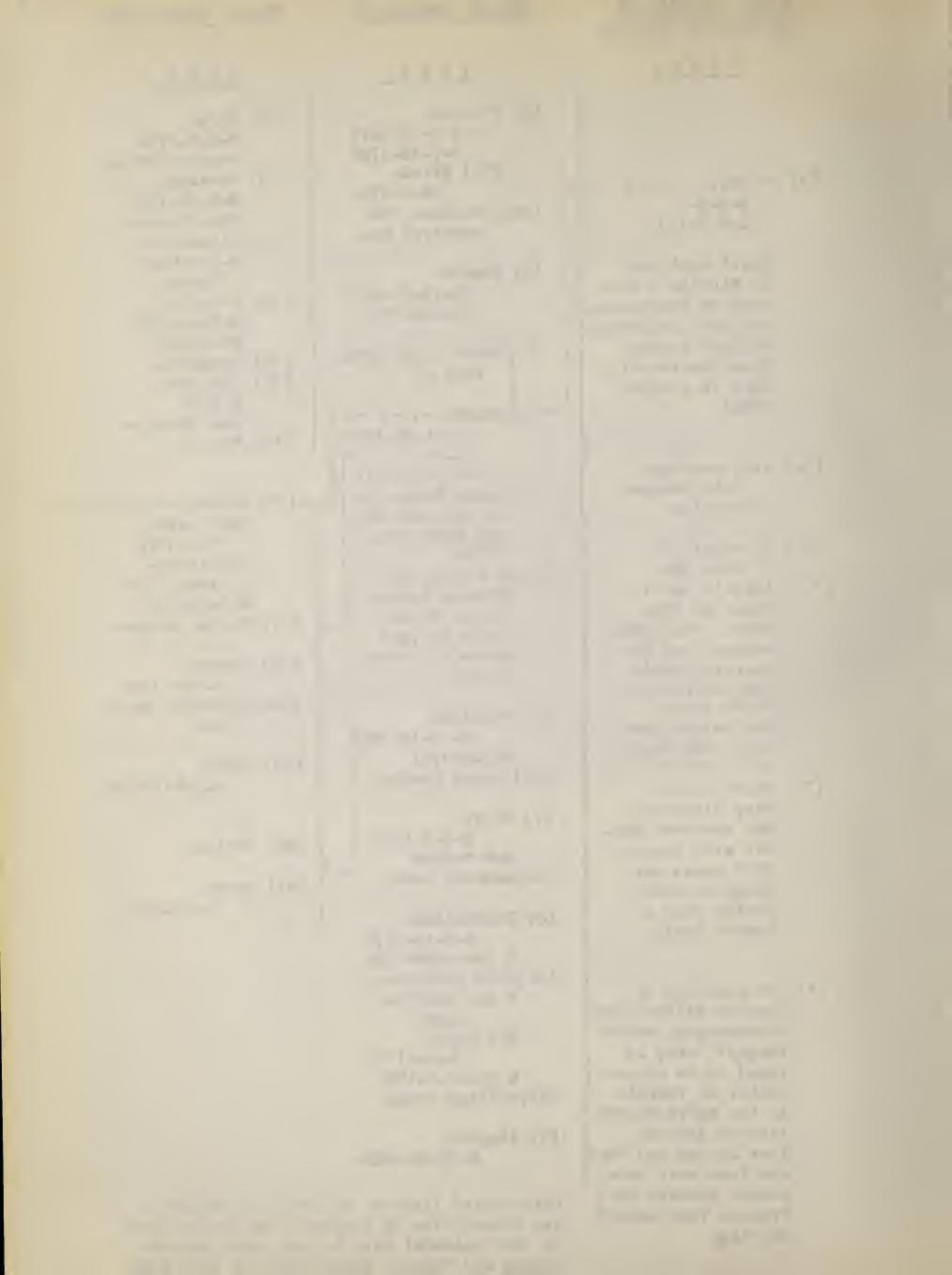
(18) Hannah. B_6-6-1706 (18a)M_Ezekial Maudlin.

(19) Sarah. B-3-5-1703/4

(20) Miriam.

(21) Sarah. B-7-4-1727

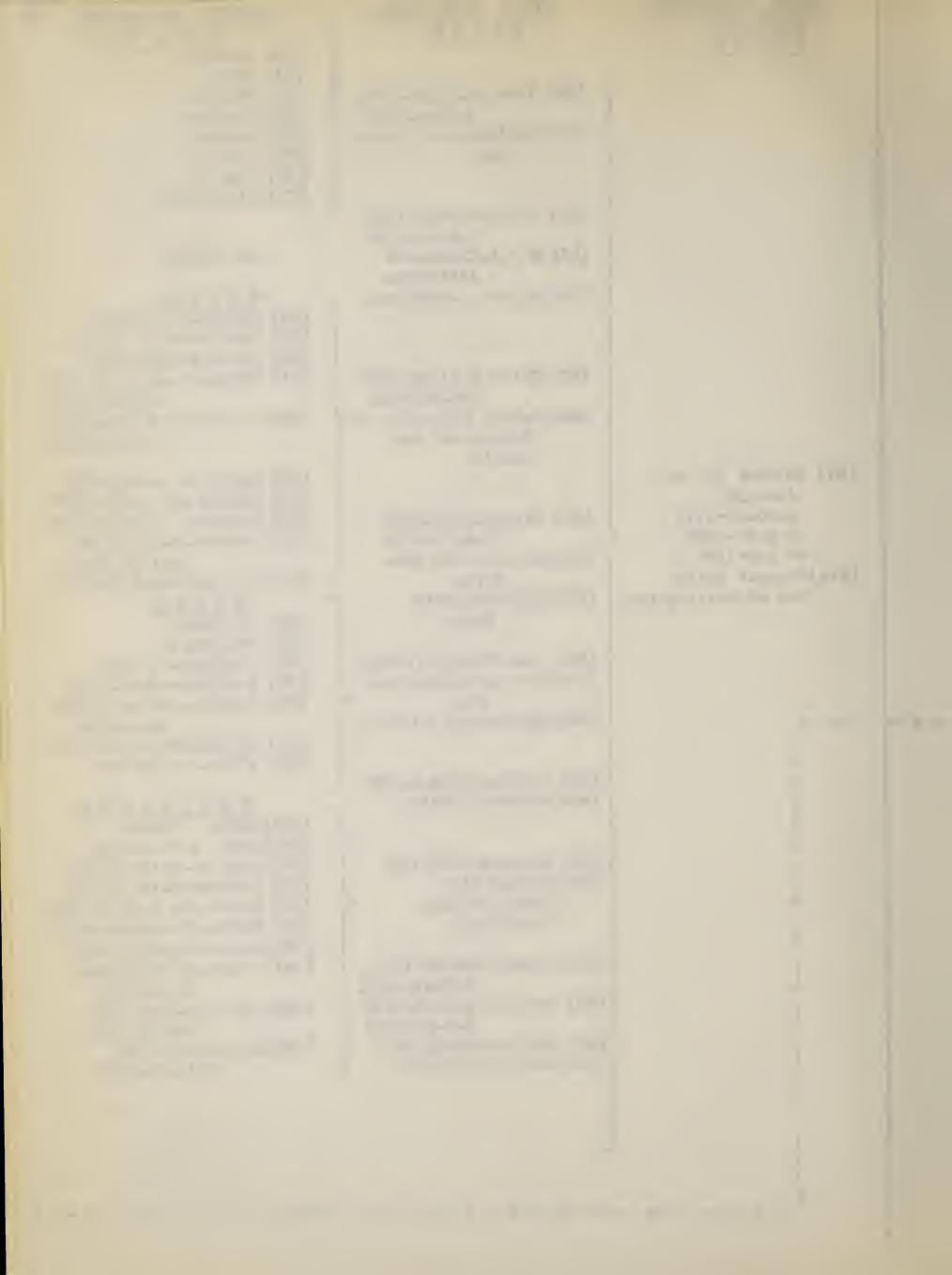
This darted line -> -> -> indicates
the direct line of descent from Francis Toms
of 1656 Colonial days to our grand parents
Joseph and Pharaba Wilson Toms of 1814-1900



Slaves.

(38) Samuel -D-Age 21

	FIFTH GENERATION.	SIXTH GENERATION.	SEVENTH GENERATION. 3
	Continued.	WHITE.	WHITE.
	WHITE.		(70) Francis.
	((40) TomsB-12-15-1790	(71) Mary. (72) Martha.
		D-3-25-1875	(73) Charles.
		(40a)M-Millicent Albert-	(74) Marian.
	·	son.	(75) John T,
		9	(76) Jane E. (77) Eliza Ann.
		(41) Miles-B-8-30-1792	(11) 2-2-4 211110
		D-3-12-1876	
	·	(41a)M-1st-Elizabeth	No record.
		Albertson.	WHITE.
		(41b)M-2dHopkins.	(78) Jane-B-11-11-1822
	7		(79) Charles_B_11_15_1824
			(80) James_B_8_25_1826
	1 ' ' '	(42) Calcb-B-11-22-1796 D-5-10-1860	(81) Edmund FB-12-15-18 30 D-8-29-1831
		(42a)M-Mary White.Dt. of	(82) Elizabeth_B-8-23-1832
		Edmund and Mary	D-9-25-1832
	4 =>	Morris.	197) Nomeonat D h 7 1975
	(27) Miriam Dt. of		(83) Margaret -B-4-3-1835 (84) Edward -B- 9-16-1837
	John(22) B-10-25-1773	(43) Mary-B-9-12-1799	(85) Harriet- B-11-24-1839
	D-2-29-1855	D-6-17-1876	(86) Frances_B-10-19-1841
	M- 2-3-1790	(43a)M-1st-Allen San-	D-1-14-1842 (861/2) Joseph_B-9-10-1828
	(27a) Francis White. Son of Caleb White.	ders. (45b)M-2d-Benjamin	WHITE.
	Son of Oaten white.	Berry.	(87) Mordecai-
			(88) Frances T.
		(44) John TB-1-17-1801	(89) Joel-B-5-12-1839
		(44a)M-1st-Susanna Mor-	(90) Benajah-s-8-26-1842 (91) Narcissa-B- 2-11-1842
٠,		(44b)M2d-Hannah A. Parker.	D_5_6-1845
			(92) Elizabeth-B-7-21-1846
	+	(45) Rebecca-B-12-4-1804	(93) Allen-B-9-20-1848
		(45a)M-Samuel White.	TRUEBLOOD.
	↓		(94) James Twins.
			(95) John B-11-2-1832
		(46) Sarah-B-3-12-1805 (46a)M-12-9-1831	(96) Jane WB-11-18-1833 (97) Frances-B-11-17-1835
		Isaac Overman	(98) Elizabeth_B_12-15-1836
		Trueblood.	(99) Martha WB-9-24-1838
	\	(1,7) 7	(100) Harriet_B_2_29_1840
		(47) Frances-B4-26-1806 D-72-16-1825	(101) Jason-B- 7-12-1842 D-9-6-1873
	· ·	(48) Charles-B-6-10-1810	(102) Miles-B-8-24-1844
		D-9-21-1812	D-4-13-1875
	· ·	(49) Martha-B-9-27-1812	(103)Mary-B-5-1-1846
	\	(49a)M-Rueben Chappel	D-11-14-1875
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SIXTH GENERATION.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

FIFTH GENERATION.

continued

MORRIS.

(66) Martha (Patsy) B-10-19-1809 D-1-24-1881 M 1st-9-18-1927 (66a) Joseph Henby Morris. B-10-21-1808

WHITE.

(66b)M-2d-Joseph M. White. Discontinued owning slaves 6-15-1844

MUNDEN.

→(33) A N DE R S O N.→

M-12-15-1808

Nathan and Mary

Two children only.

(33a) Mary Bagley, Dt.

Low Bagley.

B-5-10-1791

D-About 1815

(33a) Mary, widow of Anderson (33) married 2d-4-17-1817 (34)Jesse Munden, of Perquimans Co., N. C.

*TOMS.

(35)Benjamin. M-9-16-1813 (35a) Martha Wilson. Dt. of Christopher Wilson. Discontinued owning slaves in 1814

(36) Francis. (36a) M 1st- Nancy Haughton. (36b) M 2d-Sarah Blount.

MUNDEN. (107) Aseneth. B-12-17-1817 (107a) M-Joseph Dillon.

(108) Margaret. B-4-30-1820 (108a) M-Thos. Thorn-

burgh. (109) Susanna.

B-3-26-1827 (110) Calvin Albertson-B-4-26-1830

TOMS.

 \checkmark (67) \rightarrow JOSEPH (*) B-12-24-1814 D-3-28-1891 M-11-2-1836

(67a) Pharaba Wilson. B-12-14-1818 D-3-9-1900 Discontinued owning slaves 5-9-1841

(68) Martha Laura. B-1-13-1813

(69) Henry C. B-2-6-1825

MORRIS.

(125) Joshua. (126) Thomas Anderson. (127) Mordecai. (128) Nathan O. B-12-14-1854 (128a) M-Pharaba Wilson. B-6-19-1841 (129) Anderson. B.

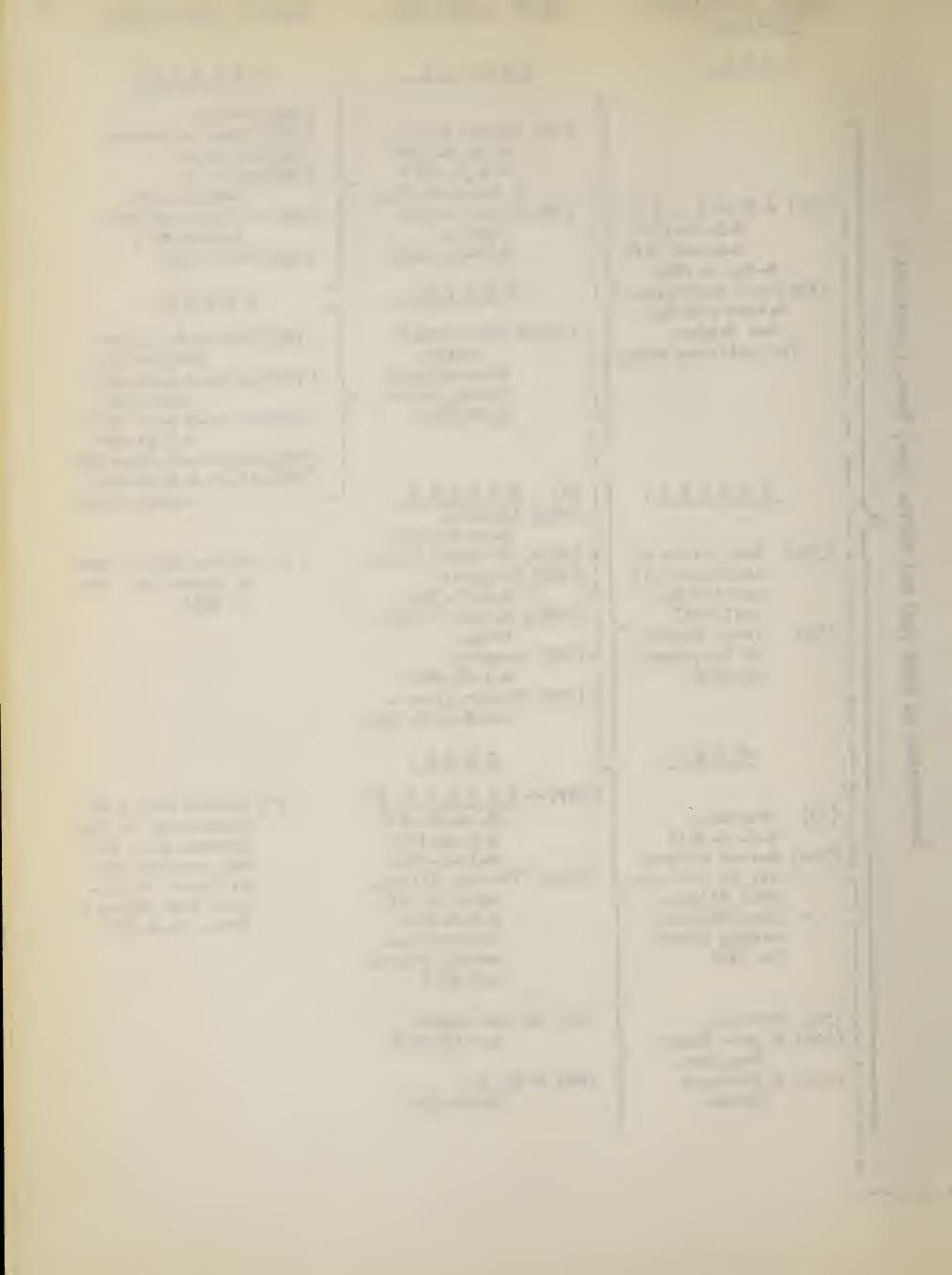
WHITE.

(130) Henry-B-9-12-1841 D-8-30-1842 (131)Elmira-B-3-14-1843 D-2-5-1925 (132) Milton-B-9-10-1845 D-7-31-1912 (133) Margaret_B_10-9-1847 (134) Albert - B-6-20-1847 D-10-20-1919

> (*) Munden family went to Wayne Co., Ind. in 1836

(*) Joseph Toms sold plantation in Perquimans Co., N.C. and granted certificate to Milford M.M. Wayne Co Ind., - 9-2-1854

Descendents of JOHN (22/ and Martha (22a) Toms. (Continued.)



D-6-29-1865 M-2d-9-3-1872 (134b) Charity Binford. B-8-25-1846 D-8-4-1907 (135) Mary-B-7-19-1839 D-12-9-1927 (135a)M-Christopher Descendents of JOSEPH (67) and PHARABA (67a) TOMS. Wilson. B-5-4-1834 D-6-27-1870 Son of John and Margaret White Wilson. (136) Anderson. M-11-18-1866 (136a) Mary Mourning Johnson. Dt. of Jesse and Martha Butler

SEVENTH GENERATION.

TOMS.

(134) Filiam-B-1-25-1838

M-1st- 1864

(134) Phoebe Ann Symonds.

D-8-22-1908

B-3-27-1842

D-4-1-1926

B-6-14-1844

D-4-15-1917

Jhonson.

BIGHTH GENERATION.

TOMS.

D-7-30-1930 (144) Edgar-B-6-19-1865 M-3-18-1896 (144a)Elma Powers B-10-1-1874

WILSON. (145) John Anderson. B-5-23-1868 D-9-1-1934 (145a)M-1st-Zoe Shield. (145b)M-2d-Janette Anderson.

HAWKINS.

(146) Anna -B-10-14-1869 M-12-27-1893 (146a) William Hawkins. B-2-8-1864 D-12-14-1932

LAYMAN.

(147) Laura Evangeline B-11-3-1869 M-6-8-1896 (147a) Waldo Arnold Layman. R_ 10-27- 1869

TOMS.

(149) Jesse Raymond. Twin of B-7-22-1874 D-3-26-1877 (150) Joseph Leland.

B-7-22-1874 D-6-29-1946 M-4-7-1905

(150a) Edna Martin. (151) Mary-B-D-10-22-176 (152) Eva Leone.

B-2-11-1879

(148) Margaret.

B-6-6-1872 M_6-17-1903 (148a) Wallace Geo. Ran-

> B-12-27-1874 D-8-30-1922

NINTH GENERATION.

TOMS.

(168) Wiliam Lowell. B-12-8-1896 (168a)M_1st_Helen Traut_

(168b)M-2d- Adeline Hill. WILSON.

(169) Earl Carlton. B-1896

RICHEY. (170) Burl-B-11-22-1894 M-2-24-1915

(170a) Elmer Richey. HAWKINS.

(171) Paul Wilson. B-7-20-1897

M-11-20-1925

(171a) Christina Walker. (172) John. B-7-14-1923

M-5-27-1954

(172a) Mary Hawk

B-5-16-1912

DEACON. (173) Edith-B-6-9-1897

M-4-2-1918 (173a) Edward Francis

Deacon-B-11-30-1892 GIBBINS.

(174) Mary Arnold.

B-6-16-1900

M-11-17-1925 (174a)Geo. Donald Gibbins. B-4-21-1891

BRUNDAGE.

(175) Laura Arnold. B-6-16-1900

M-11-25-1932

(175a) Keene Newell Brundage. B-9-15-1903

ISAACS. (176) Grace Wilson.

B-5-28-1904

M-10-1-1924

(176a) Henry Garcia Isaacs. B-12-22-1897

RANDELL. (177) Philip. B-12-11-1905 M-1st-5-13-1933

(177a) Lucile Mulroy.

M-2d-10k1947

(177b)Betty Cordwell. (178) Margaret. B-9-24-1909

(178a)M-1st- Wallace Caywodd M-2d-11-25-1944

(178b) Dudley Elston.

RANDELL.

dell.

(189b) Evaline Kay.

HUDDLESTON.

B-12-14-1942

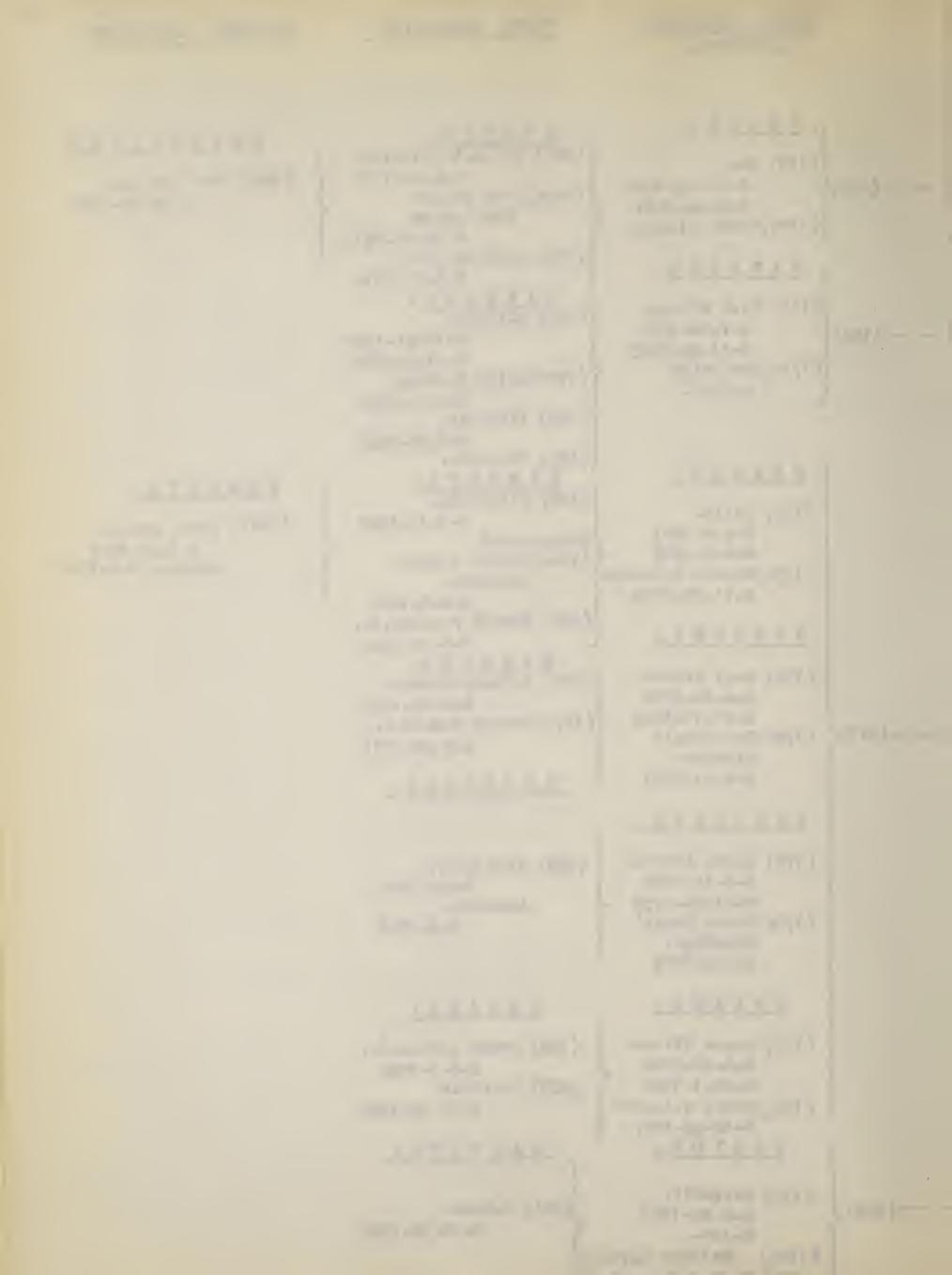
RICHEY. RICHEY. (189) Helen. B-2-17-1916 (170) Burl. M-8-26-1939 B-11-22-1894 (189a)Leon Wright M-2-24-1915 Huddleston. 170a)Elmer Richey. B-12-14-1818 (190) Harland Paul. HAWKINS. B-3-27-1918 HAWKINS. (171) Paul Wilson. (191) Mildred-B-7-20-1897 B-10-21-1925 M-11-20-1923 M-11-22-1946 (171a)Christine (191a)Ralph Wilfong. Walker. B-1-14-1927 (192) Virginia. B-1-20-1928 (193) Paulette. DEACON. BENNETT. (190) Elizabeth. (173) Edith. B-1-16-1920 B-6-9-1897 M-6-24-1940 M-4-2-1918 (194a)Donald Vivian (173a)Edward F. Deacon Bennett. B-11-30-1892 B-5-9-1916 (195) Edward Francis, Jr. GIBBINS. B-9-12-1922 GIBBINS. (174) Mary Arnold. (196) Barbara Arnold. B-6-16-1900 B-4-10-1929. M-11-17-1925 (197) George Donald, Jr. (147)_c (174a)Geo.Donald B-3-29-1931 Gibbins. B-4-21-1891 BRUNDAGE. BRUNDAGE. (175) Laura Arnold. (198) Todd Clay. B-6-16-1900 B-6-6-1946 M-11-25-1932 Adopted_ (175a) Keene Newell 8-6-1946 Brundage. B9-15-1903 ISAACS. ISAACS. (176) Grace Wilson. (199) Henry Garcia, Jr. B-5-28-1904 B-5-1-1926 (200) Patricia. M-10-1-1924 (176,)Henry G. Isaacs B-10-16-1929 B-12-22-1897 ELSTON. CAYWOOD. (178) Margaret. (201) Petrea. (148) B-9-24-1909 B-10-30-1934 M-18t-178a) Wallace Caywood

(178b)M-2d-Dudley Elston

BENNETT.

(194b) Peter Arnold.

B-7-20-1947
Adopted. 9-2-1947



TOMS.

(141) Benjamin.

B-5-23-1856

D-5-23-1931

M-8-7-1902

(141a) Beatrice Smith.

B-1-18-1873

D-10-26-1908

(142) Sarah Isabella.

B-6-18-1858

D-5-3-1945

M-12-14-1892
(142a) Edwin McCleary.

B-6-5-1854
D-10-22-1915

JONES.

(159) Elsie Pharaba.

B-6-4-1904

M-8-7-1926

(159a) John Posey Jones

B-10-24-1903

TOMS.

(160) Philip Benjamin. B-1908 D-Age 5 wks.

Mc C L E A R Y.

(161) Edwina.

B-11-11-1893

M-5-7-1918

(161a) Harold E. Jones.

B-4-6-1891

ROTHROCK.

(162) Hannah.

B-7-13-1895

M-11-29-1917

(162a) Howard Leroy

Rothrock.

B-1-2-1890

Mc C L E A R Y .

(163) Joseph Robert.

B-10-20-1910

D-7-8-1928

M-6-6-1927

(164) Lulu Brown.

B-5-3-1910

D-11-15-1934

SCHENKE L.

(183) Beatrice Beth.

B-5-7-1926

M-10-16-1946

(183a) Lewis Eugene
Schenkel.

JONES. (184) Robert Lowell. B-5-27-1934

JONES.

James L.

B-11-5-1919

(186) Kenneth F. B-12-15-1922

M-8-31-1947 (186a)Louise Ratcliff. B-3-13-1926

MC C L E A R Y.

(187) James Robert. B-4-19-1928

BAKER.

(165) Pauline.

B-2-27-1890

M-8-4-1908
(165a) Claude Leslie

Baker.

B-4-27-1884

PRARSON.

(166) Edna Bell.

B-4-16-1886

D-5-21-1898

(167) Baby girl.

Died- 1-1901

BAKER.

(188) Thelma Anita.

B and D

3-6-1911

(143) Pharaba.

B-6-25-1860

D-11-2-1913 \
M-9-15-1882

(143a) Edwin G. Pearson.

B-3-27-1860

D-9-24-1934

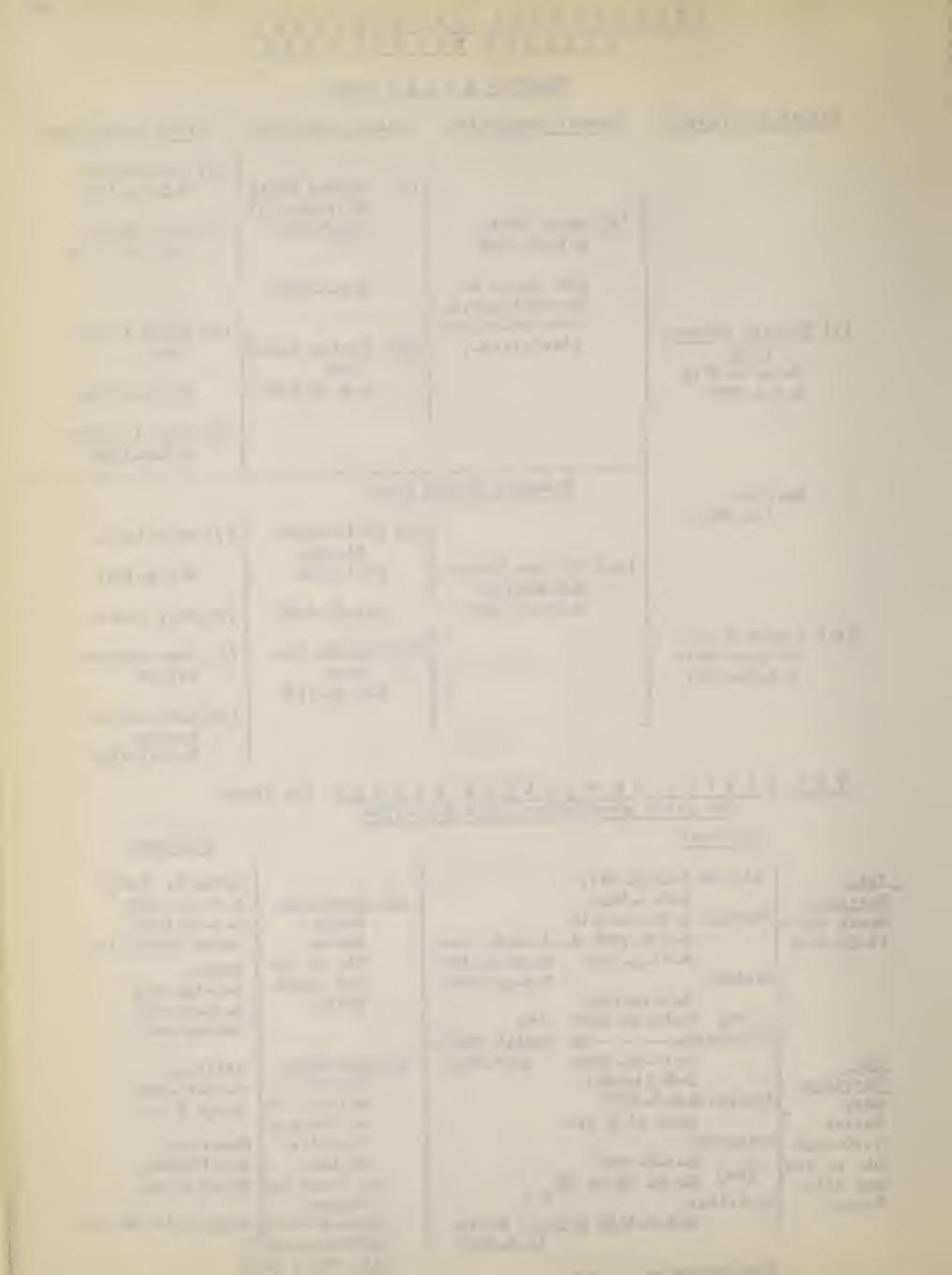
ANCESTRY OF GRANDMOTHER PHARABA WILSON TOMS.

Maternal W H I T E line.

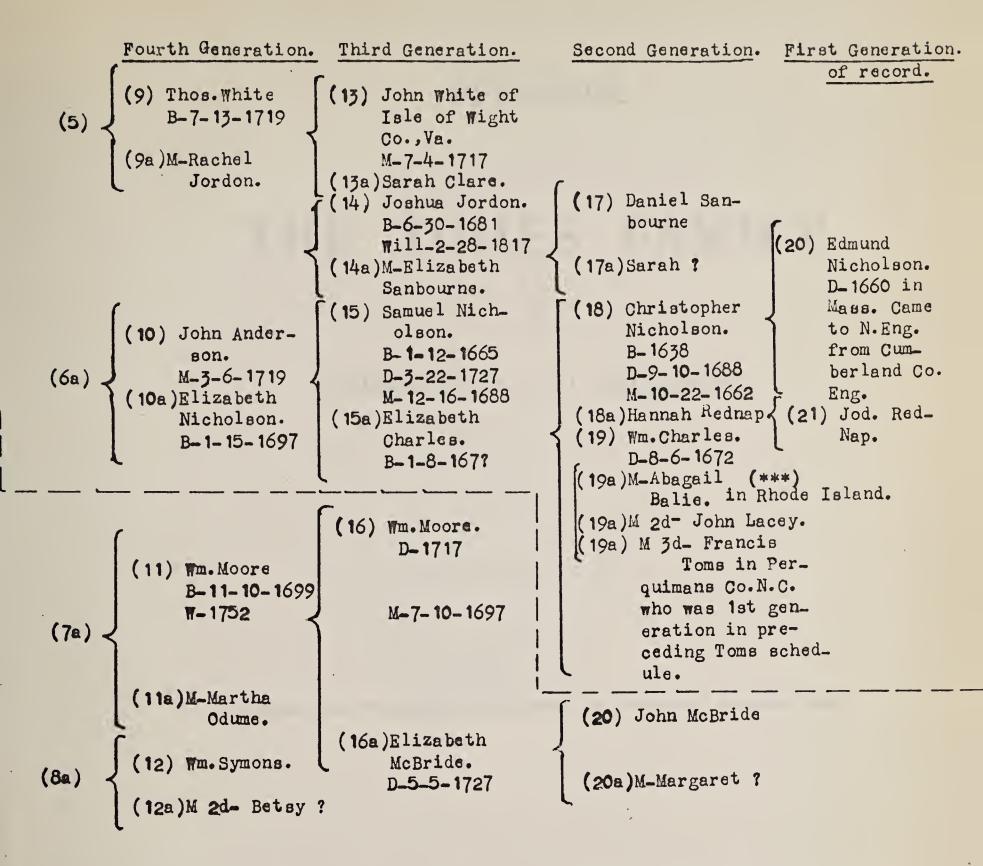
Eighth Generation.	Seventh Generation.	Sixth Generation.	Fifth Generation.		
	(2) Sarah White. B-10-5-1796	(3) Nathan White B-11-12-1757 D-2-5-1854	(5) Thos. White. M-5-11-1755 (5a) Anne Barnes. D-11-14-1770		
(1) Pharaba Wilson.	(Her grave at Woodville, N.C. \ near Wm.Wilson plantation.)	M-4-6-1785 (3a) Miriam Albert	(6) Elihu Albert-		
B- 12- 14- 18 18 D-3-9- 1900		B-4-12-1752	M-12-6-1744		
			(6a) Jane Anderson. B-7-9-1726		
Married-	Paternal WILSON line.				
11-2-1836	(2a) William Wilson. B-9-21-1794 D-About 1847	(4) Christopher Wilson.	(7) Wm. Wilson.		
		Will-1824 <	M-9-2-1743 (7a) Mary Moore.		
(1a) Joseph Toms. B-12-24-1814 D-3-28-1891		(4a)Pharaba San- ders. B-4-10-1774	(8) John Sanders. D-1780		
			(8a)M_Elizabeth Symons. B-9-27-1736		

THE FAMILY OF WILLIAM WILSON. (2a above) Our great grandfather.-Born 9-21-1794

	Children				Children.
	Pharaba.B-12 D-3-	1-1822 2-14-1818 9-1900 M	Joseph Toms.	3d. Marriage. Lydia White.	Lydia W. (**) B-12-14-1835 M-1-19-1854 Rufus White. (*)
	Martha. B-3- (**) D-12	12-1820 2-12-1820	1-21-1846	Dt. of Wm. and Lydia White.	Sarah. B-4-18-1839 M-10-9-1862 Nathan Cox.
1-17-1021	Marriage. Mary Parker. 1-19-1824 Dt. of Jos and Eliz. Parker. Isabella. B-11-22-1825 D-8-31-1881 Joseph. B-4-3-1827 Died at 2 y Margaret. B-1-4-1829 (**) D- At 18 or Isabella.	1-22-1825 31-1881 3-1827 at 2 yrs. 4-1829 t 18 or 20		Walton. Her later Mar riages. 2d-Wm.Elliott 3d-Thos.Kenne	Jana. B-12-15-1845
	For reference	ce (*) and	4th Caleb Ba	II.	



ANCESTRY OF GRAND MOTHER PHARABA WILSON TOMS. continued.



Special NoteReference (*) and (**) from
preceding page refer to the
interesting fact that THREE
WHITE brothers married THREE
HALF-SISTER daughters of Wm.
Wilson and one duaghter each
of his first three wives.

(***) A discovery of interest to us all is found in the fact that our grand parents Joseph and Pharaba Wilson Toms became remote cousins through the marriage of Abagail Balie Lacey, of the White-Wilson line, to Francis Toms, the first, following the death of John Lacey.



PEDIGREE

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THE TOMES FAMILY,

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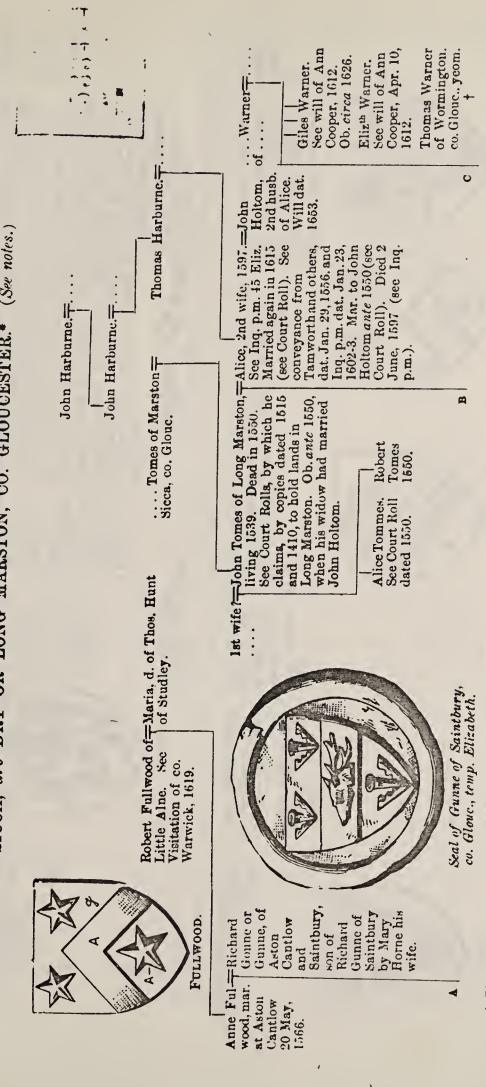
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THE TOMES FLATILY,





PEDIGREE OF TOMES, TOMBS, TOMS, TOMMES, TOMMYS, OR THOMME, OF MERSTON OR MARSTON SICCA, als DRY OR LONG MARSTON, CO. GLOUCESTER.* (See notes.)



* The pedigree of "Tomes of Marston Sicca" was made out in 1860 by Sir Thomas Phillipps from papers placed at his disposal by Fisher Tomes, and privately printed by S ir Thomas, with the note appended, "T. P. 1860 (To be verified)." It has since been corrected and extended from public records, and from papers in the procession of members of the family not accessible to Sir Thos. Phillipps in 1860; still the maiden names of Amy, and of Anne the the Authority Sir T. F hillipps. • The pedigree of



ton. Nee will of J. T., 1602. Joan, wife of Harring-2nd wife. Mar. at Wormington Aug. 3. 1600. Inq. p.m. and her will dat. April 10. 1612. Afterwards Long Marston, from whom is descended Sir Geers Henry Cotterell, Bart., of Garnons, eo. Hereford. Joseph Phelpes=Ellen, dead=John Tomes of Long Marston. Died=Ann. d. of W. Warner of Bengworth, in 1596.

e. Wore.

Died in 1579.

See law proceedSee his will of JohnTomes

Keeke. wife of Wm. Keeke, Anne JohnTomes

Buried at See law late. Died=Ann. d. of W. Warner Joane, unmarried in 1602. mar. Henry Cooper of of John Tomes. See the inventory of goods, May 28, 1602. Will dated 24 May, 1601. Joan Tomes and Alice Tomes, dau'rs 48 ani Comes M against her children by Joseph Phelpes. Mayor of Evesham. of Bengworta, co. Wore.
Died in 1679.
See his will of that date.
Buried at
Bengworth. Joseph Phelps, Rev. Henry, Rector PHELP8. Riebard. Cantlow. Francis Izod=Mary, d. c,f of Stanton. Abington of Dodswell. John, 1587 s. and h.of Hen. Izod of Toding-ton. Anne. = Hen. Izod <

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Mary Tomes,—William.eldest son See will of J. of John Keeke of i T. 1602; and Long Marston, and I see will of uncle to S' Anthony Ann Cooper, Keeke.

Aliee, d. of Rieh'd Vernon, Rector of

Hanbury.

Gloue. Ob. 1630.

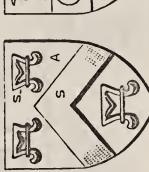
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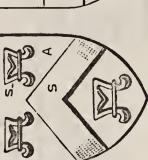
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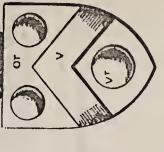
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William Tulley. purchased Kenchester, 1655, of Henry

Thomas Tombs of Pehworth, = Anne bur. at Marston June, 1694. | d. of Tho: Combo John Tomes of Long Marston. He was drowned at Clifford Forge, 1656 (see Coroner's Inquest held at Long Marston Jan. 19, 1656). Left no will, but permission granted and entered in the Probate Court to his younger brother Thomas to administer. See the inventory of his effects dated Jan. 28, 1658. See also articles of agreement touching the settling of his father's estate. dated Nov. 11, 1653.

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Francis, 2 son, 1665. eldest

> John Tomes of Marston Sicca, bap. at Pebworth Mar. 6, 1659; ob. unmar. Sept. 27, 1736. Will dat. 19 June, 1736. Entailed his Marston estate, silver plate, and linen upon John Tomes, the son of his niece Ann, the wife of William Tomes, and his Knighton-upon-Team, co. Wore, estate, called Mark Smaleman's tenement, to John, the son of his niece Unity Starie.

2 Christopher.= See the will of his bro-Mary, bapt. at Pebworth 27 Mar. 1662.

William, bap. at Pebworth

7 Ap. 1677. Knighton on Teme 1729. Bur. at bapt, at Marston 4 Anthony. 7 Sep. 1672.

5 Jeffery, bapt. Mary Ann. at Marston

3 Thomas,



John Tomes of Tombs of Kenchester. Mar. at Decrhurst. Will dated Dec. 6, 1744. Leaves leasehold estates in Norton and Bricklehampton, co. Wore., to his da. Eliz. Bruer, and his freehold estate in Gotherington, co. Glouc., to his son John and his da.	Unity.=Staric. Amr.		Elizabeth. 3 George.=Mary Meade. of Mickleton. westwood co. Glone.	Elizabeth. = William-Herk, of Broad Marston, descended from Heckes of Ashton Underbill, co. Glouc.
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Susanna, sister—Thos. Cox of and coh. of her Deerhurst.	Susanna.	•	Sarah, da. of Thos. Bennett of Cleeve Prior, bap. Mar. 1734; mar. Aug. 1758; ob. Dec. 1789. Heiress to her brothers, John and Thomas Bennett, of Cleeve Prior and South Littleton. co. Worc.	to f Kinwarton. and to feel of Kinwarton. and to feel brother. Red of Fisher, of The Salue weston on Avon, es.
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Arthur Tully, Lord of the Manor and patron of the living of Kenchester, co. Hereford.	Jane.		John Tomes of Long Marston.—Sarah, da. of Thos. Bennett of Cleeve Prior, hapt. May, 1736. Inherited the Marston estate from his uncle, John Tomes. John Tomes. Jittleton. co. Wore.	John Tomes, of Stratford on Avon. banker Ann. da. of Robert Fisher lapt. 1763, at Long Marston 1834. He was party to to her brother. Robert the deed of Nov. 1828, and the recovery of Fisher, of The Sands, Marston estate to his 34 son, Fisher Tomes.
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m. 2 Thomas Bennett Tomes, born at TMary Ann, da. of Thos.	Ann	nas. Mary Ann. 2 Alfred. Susan. 3 John Fisher. Sarah. Julia. Temperance. Ann.	Robert Tomes,—Sarah Washburne, Susannah, Temper—John Caleb M.A.,lateVicar da. of Thos. Perry, ob. unmar. ance. Adkins, of Milcote, co. Warwick. Ann, ob. Ann, ob. unmar.	3 Albert 4 Edward. 1 Thomas. Ann. Susan. Sarah. 2 John. William. 5 Arthur.	Charles Sissmore Tomes, M.A., F.R.S., of Cavendish Square, London.—Lizzie Eno, da. of Chas. Cook, M.D., Born in Cavendish Place, June 6, 1846. Amy Evelyn, born in Cavendish Square, London, 21st June, 1876.
1 John Tomes, of The Sands, Weston on Avon, born at Marston Sarah. 2nd dau'r of Wm.	May 18, 1791. Inherited estates in North and South Littleton from his uncle, Thomas Bennett. Ob. Jan. 15, 1864, and bur. Rebecca his wife, da. and coh. of Arrper Holtham of Weston on Avon. Estates held by his sons. Richard Fisher, King's Farah Coughton, J.P. Richard. Ann.	of Cavendish Square, Sibley of Great Tomes of Cauth London, and Cater- London, Architect. Surey. Born London, Architect. Surey. Born Avon. March 21, 1815. London, Architect. Avon. Born The Sands, May Aug. 4, 1825. Aug. 4, 1823.	3 Fisher Tomes, of Stratford on Avon, born at Marston 1798.—Mary Anne, da. 4 Rober Bur. at Marston, 1879. Lord of the Manor and patron of of George Bennett M.A., the advowson of Long Marston. Acquired under his father's will the Marston estate and family house.	John, ob. Mary Anne, Fanny Tomes, bapt. Sarah. 1 Robert John. Ann. 3 Albe infant. ob. infant. father and successor 2 Thomas Perry. to the Marston estates.	John, born in Cavendish Place, Feb. 16, Charles Sissmore Tomes, M.A., F.R.S., of Cavendish born in Cavendish Place, June 6, 1846. Weston on Avon.



NOTES TO THE PEDIGREE OF TOMES.

The family of Tomes or Tombes has been located in or near the eastern part of the county

of Gloucester from an early date, as will be seen by the following scattered notices of the name.

In the Subsidy Roll of Edward III., 1327-8, there is mention of a John Thommes and a Walter Thommes living at Stoke, a John Thommes at Aston Somerville, a William Thommen at Clopton, a Peter Thommen at Pebworth, and a Richard Thommen at Ullington, a hamlet in the parish of Pehworth.

All these places are in the castern extremity of the county of Gloucester. parish of Pebworth. All these places are in the eastern extremity of the county of Gloucester, and in the Hundred of Kiftsgate.

Again, in the Subsidy of the 15th of Edward III., 1341-2, the following names appear-Robert Tommes living at Slaughter, John Thommes at Turksdeane, and Robert Tommes at Swell, -all parishes on or amongst the Gloucestershire Hills, and in the eastern part of the county.

In the following century scattered notices occur of individuals of the name at various localities not far distant, but who, like the foregoing persons, have not hitherto been identified as members of the Long Marston family. A William Thommes was Rector of Whichford, near Moreton in Marsh, in 1414, and in an official catalogue of the gentry of the adjoining county of Oxford in the reign of Hen. VI., 1422-60, the name of William Tommys appears.

At Whitchurch in the county of Warwick, but scarcely more than a mile from the borders of Gloucestershire, a William Thommes was Rector in June, 1462. Another William Tommes, alias Thommys, was in 1460 Rector of Binton in the co. of Warwick, but divided only by the river Avon from the co. Glouc., and not three miles from Marston Sicca.

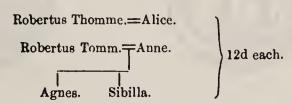
Early in the sixteenth century (1504) there was a Nicholas Tommys Rector of Arrow, near Alcester and a William Tommes regioned the Vigorage of Stow on the Wold in favour of William

Alcester, and a William Tomys resigned the Vicarage of Stow-on-the-Wold in favour of William

Wylles in 1532.

Some of the foregoing persons were most likely directly connected with the Long Marston ly. But the earliest direct connection of the family of Tomes with Marston Sicca which family. But the earliest direct connection of the family of Tomes with Marston Sicca which has yet been ascertained from research amongst the public records may be seen in the Subsidy Roll of the 2nd or 4th year of the reign of Richard II., 1378-80, the entries being as follows:-

EXTRACTS FROM EARLY BUT DISCONTINUOUS RECORDS OF THE FAMILY OF TOMES, MARSTON SICCA.

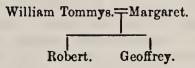


(See Lay Subsidies, Rich. II., 1378-9. Co. Glouc. $\frac{1}{3}$, Marston Sicca.)

.... Toms of Marston Sicca Edward IV. (1473).

INDENTURE between John, Abbot of the Monastry of Wynchecombe and the Convent of the same name on the one part, and William Tommys, Margaret his wife, Robert and Geoffrey their sons, on the other part. Lease to the said William, Margaret, Robert, and Geoffrey, and to the eldest son, or Robert, or Geoffrey, of the site of the Abbey, Manor of Merston, with its houses, demesnes, lands, pastures, and meadows, during their natural lives in survivorship, at the yearly rent of £8, and 13s. 4d. for tithes, with power to distrain. The lessees to repair and maintain. When the steward or cellarer shall come there to hold Court or to collect rent, they shall have lodging there, with meat and drink for their men and horses, at the expense of the lessees. The said William, or who ever of them shall be tenant, shall have one coat (tugam) at the Abbot's said William, or who ever of them shall be tenant, shall have one coat (togam) at the Abbot's

Dated at Wynchecombe, in the Chapter House, 29th September, 18th year of Edward IV. (1479). From the Latin original.



Thomas Tomys of Marston Sicca, by will dated Dec. 12, 1537, leaves his effects to his wife Margaret Tomys, who is named his executrix.

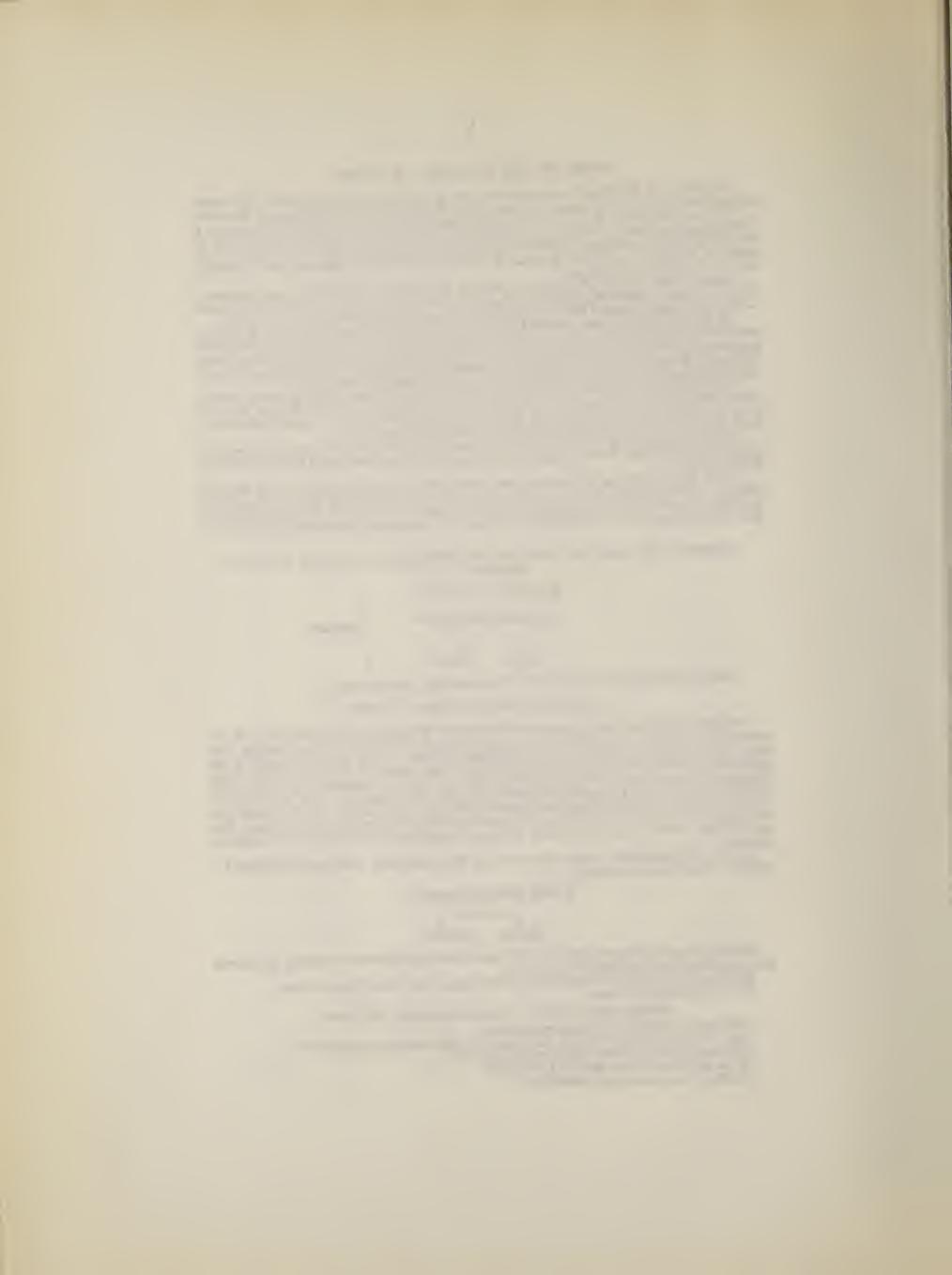
Witnesses, Tho. Roose (or Roke), curate, John Tomys, John Platt, "with other mo." Will preserved at Worcester.

Marston Sicca, co. Glouc. Court held 31 Henry VIII. (1540).

John Tomes and Geoffrey Tomes were jurymen.

John Tomes shews copy of Court Roll dated 1516, and another copy dated 1410.

The same John Toms shews another copy dated 1473. Alicia and Robert Toms shew copy dated 1532. Geoffrey Tomes shews copy dated 1525.



Manor of Marston Sicea. Court held 4 Edward VI. (1550).

John Tomes of Dry Marston holds by indenture granted (1536) for 30 years after the end of Tomes' term for 60 years. And holds certain lands for 80 years.

Customary Tenants.

Agnes Tommes, widow, certain lands, etc., by "free bench."

Alicia Tommes and her brother Robert claim to hold, by copy dated 1531, certain lands now

in the tenure of John Tommes, her brother.

(See "Mise, Books of Exchequer, No. 22. Stone Tower, C. 10. Large Book of Rentals in Glouestershire, etc.." also "Book of Court Rolls of Manors belonging to Religious Houses in Glouestershire," and "Ministers' Accounts, 3132, No. 94, Membrane 86. Winchecombe Abbey,

Patent, 8 Eliz. p. 7m. 1566. Grant to Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester, his heirs and successors, inter alia of All that our Lordship and Manor of Merston Sicea otherwise called Drye Merston in our County of Gloucester with all its rights &c. to the late Monastry of Winchelcombe late belonging.

Close Roll, 20 Eliz. p. 9. Indenture dated 8 February, 1577-8. Between Robert Earl of Leicester and John Keeke of Marston Sieea, yeoman, and John Toms of Marston Sieea aforesaid, yeoman. The said Earl for £1180 and 58s. 4d. paid to him by the said John Keeke and John Toms grants to them, All that seite eircuit and compass of the Manor of Marston Sieca. &c., &c.

SEALS OF JOHN KECKE AND JOHN TOMS.





APPENDIX.

In early times the letters h and y, one or both with a second m, were commonly used in writing the name, and legal draughtsmen often varied the spelling in different parts of the same document. Aimy in her signatures to legal papers spelt the name in four different ways: Toms, 1654; Tombs, 1658; Tombes, 1660; Tomes, 1663; and her son Thomas varied his signatures both in the spelling and in the formation of the initial letters.

The use of the y was discontinued after the sixteenth century, and the introduction of the b took place about the time of the Commonwealth. The change might possibly have been adopted with the hope of evading threatened persecution as known royalists. Thomas, who died 1694, was the last to use the letter b. But notwithstanding the uninterrupted use by seven generations of the name spelt Tomes, strangers, even to the present day, in addressing letters to members of the family, occasionally insert in the name the long abandoned b, and now and then the h, or a second m.

Members of the Marston family of Tomes were from a very early period copyholders under the Monastery of Winchecombe down to the time when the Marston property was seized by the Crown; and they then held under the Crown until the ownership passed into other hands. In 1566, the manor and lands, lately the property of the Monastery, were granted by Elizabeth to Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester (patent, 8 Eliz. p. 7 m.), from whom the freehold of certain lands, houses, etc., was



purchased by John Kecke and John Toms of Marston Sicca, yeomen, for the sum of £1180 and 58s. 4d. Indenture dated 8 Feb. 1577-8. Close Roll, 20 Eliz. p. 9.

In 1567, land with appurtenances were conceded and given by John Tamworth, Thomas Blunt, and John Dudley, Esquires, to Alice Holtam, with remainder to her son John Toms, his heirs, etc. See Inquisition, held 1625.

Old deeds, recording purchases and sales of land, are in the possession of the family, and also papers shewing that an estate with a residence at Marston has been held without a break or change of name by members of the family, having passed from father to son, or in default of a son, to a brother, or nephew, or in the last

case to a daughter, from the fifteenth century to the present time.

The family house, known in the district as King Charles's House, and as such much visited by strangers, had till very lately all the characteristics of a sixteenth century domestic residence. Old villagers talked of portions having been long since pulled down, and the presence of foundations continuous with the walls of the existing building, together with non-existing rooms mentioned in old inventories of effects, clearly shew that the house in times past covered a larger area than it does at the present time. But the ancient characters of the remaining parts were not materially injured by the removal of the lost portions. In a deed dated Sept. 22nd, 1596, Thos. Green agrees to pay in 1600 the sum of £100 to John Tommes "at the now Mansion house of John Tommes in Merston."

In 1820, the then John Tomes of Marston, who at no time had taken any interest in the preservation of the ancestral home, who had indeed by preference resided in a new house built by himself within a hundred yards of the old one, on gaining the Littleton property, by the death of his uncle Thomas Bennett, removed to a residence built by his deceased relative on the latter property; and the Marston old house, after an uninterrupted occupation of centuries, ceased to be the family residence of the Tomes's. For it was shortly afterwards given over to the tenant of the farm, who used it partly as a cellar and partly as a granary, or allowed it to be occupied by a farm labourer. Forsaken and neglected with the lapse of years, the picturesque old grey roof of Snowshill slate fell into disorder. To carry the heavy colitic slates, the roof-tree or ridge-piece was formed out of several trees, as straight as could be found, no doubt, but still somewhat crooked, and wrought by the axe only; and the rafters were of like character. As a constructive result, the ridge, though strong and enduring, was far from straight, and the slopes of the roof far from level. Holes and displaced slates, consequent upon the decay of the more perishable laths associated with the irregular form of the roof, gave the appearance of great dilapidation. About three years since the builder was called in, and with the usual result. The characteristic old grey stone roof with its waved lines was demolished, and a trim deal one, covered with Staffordshire tiles, substituted. The south side of the house was broken into by a new entrance door, and the interior divided into two parts; the one converted into a superior cottage; the other, consisting of the hall, in which still remains the jack reputed to have been wound up by the King at the bidding of the cook when spending the night there on his journey to the coast, disguised as the personal attendant of Jane Lane. This and the room over it are retained for the use of the occupant of the farm; the hall, as heretofore, as a cellar; the upper chamber as a store-room for farm produce.

The ground the house covers, the walls, the chinney-stacks, and some of the stone-mullioned windows, remain; all else is altered. The restoration in this, as in most other cases entrusted to a builder, amounts to a destruction of the ancient character and, in great part, of the historical interest of the "mansion house of

John Tommes in Merston.















